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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Alessio MORICONI et al.

Application No.: 10/541,429

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For: 2-ARYL-ACETIC ACIDS, THEIR  
DERIVATIVES AND PHARMACEUTICAL  
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated February 14, 2006,  
Applicant respectfully submits:

☒ **Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).**

☒ **Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney** ☒ **Original** ☐ **Photocopy.**

☐ The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 5, 2005, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.

☒ **The undersigned hereby declares that the corresponding International Application No. PCT/EP04/01021 filed February 4, 2004 on page 1 of the attached Inventors'**

**Declaration corresponds to the present National Phase Application No.10/541,429 filed July 5, 2005 entitled "2-ARYL-ACETIC ACIDS, THEIR DERIVATIVES AND PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM."**

- ☐ Attached is an English language translation of the above-identified application that was filed in a foreign language, which should be used as the copy for examination purposes.

See the attached Translator's Verification; or

The undersigned states that the English translation attached hereto is a true and correct translation of the application as originally filed in a foreign language.

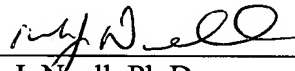
- ☐ Attached are        sheet(s) of drawings. Please substitute these replacement drawings for the corresponding        sheet(s) of drawings on file in the above-identified application.
- ☐ Attached are substitute claims commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(h).
- ☐ Attached is a substitute abstract commencing on a separate sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.72(b).
- ☐ Attached is a substitute specification that complies with 37 C.F.R. § 1.52. The substitute specification does not contain new matter.
- ☐ Attached is a preliminary amendment.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- ☐ Attached is a Supplemental Application Data Sheet (ADS).
- ☒ **Submitted concurrently herewith under separate cover for recording is an Assignment.**
- ☐ Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time.

- ☒ **The Government Filing Surcharge for late filing of oath and/or declaration in the amount of \$130.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.494 and 1.492 was previously paid for concurrently with the filing of the application on July 5, 2005.**
- ☐ Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/05/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/05/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 07/05/2005
- Copy of Annexes to the IPE filed on 07/05/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/05/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/05/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/05/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/05/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 07/05/2005
- Specification filed on 07/05/2005
- Claims filed on 07/05/2005
- Abstracts filed on 07/05/2005
- Drawings filed on 07/05/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - your pre has two claim 10 and no claim 13 , check yor pre andt also there are no art 19 claims only art 34 , look at the ipea report or publish application from ib.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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